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NON-VOLATILE DATA STORAGE SYSTEM AND DATA STORAGING

METHOD

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and without any assertion as to materiality or prior art effect, the document listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is hereby cited.

A check for \$180.00 is attached to cover the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p).

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